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1. [REDACTED] JSW) Talked with William Darden for Senator Russell, Russ Blandford for Mr. Rivers, and Robert Michaels for Mr. Mahon, to alert the Chairmen to the first successful mission in a special project.

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2. [REDACTED] - JSW) Talked with Senator Birch Bayh on the Ervin Bill, S. 1035. Senator Bayh indicated that he was fully in sympathy with the Agency's position and would use his influence with Senator Ervin. Later, his staff man, Larry Conrad, called indicating he would like to review the bidding on this to be of greater assistance to Senator Bayh. It was agreed we would be in touch on Tuesday.

Delivered to Senator Bayh the letter from [REDACTED] and he said he was very interested in this and was appreciative of our bringing it to his attention.

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3. [REDACTED] JSW) Talked to Bill Woodruff, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, on the rider to the State Department Appropriation Act which extends FSR appointments for another year. Woodruff stated he would put in an appropriate word to the staff man who handles this to make sure we are alerted if this rider runs into any problem.

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4. [REDACTED] JSW) Talked with Representative George Bush who was interested in whether we would be of any assistance in connection with the flight of [REDACTED] to Cuba. I indicated that we could be of no assistance in attempting to have the child returned to his mother. I advised Mr. Bush that his best course of action would be to deal with the Department of State.

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5. [REDACTED] JSW) Went over an AID transcript before House Appropriations with Frank Merrill and Bob Michaels to delete material [REDACTED] Frank Merrill assured me that he thought he could handle this with Passman who had raised the questions. In any event, if problems develop he will advise.

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